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AMENDMENT

In response to the Office Action mailed May 18, 2007, please enter the following amendments and remarks. A petition to extend the time for response for two months, from August 18, 2007 to October 18, 2007, is included herein.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.